## **ORDINANCE NO. 07-2017**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELTONA, FLORIDA, REVISING CHAPTER 30, "ELECTIONS", **ARTICLE** II. "CANDIDATES", "SECTION 30-37. ELECTRONIC CAMPAIGN FILING" REQUIRING **ELECTRONIC** FILING CAMPAIGN TREASURER'S REPORTS SUPERVISOR OF **ELECTIONS** VOLUSIA COUNTY OFFICE'S ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS, SEVERABILITY AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Deltona is granted authority under Section 106.07(2)(a)2, Florida Statutes, to impose upon its own officers, candidates and political committees electronic filing requirements not in conflict with Section 106.0705, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the City of Deltona recognizes that a requirement that all candidates for municipal office and all political committees filing campaign finance reports electronically is not in conflict with the provisions of Section 106.0705, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, all candidates for municipal office and political committees will utilize the Online Treasurer Reporting System maintained and operated by the Volusia County Supervisor of Elections Office; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk along with the public will have prompt access to campaign finance reports electronically filed with the Volusia County Supervisor of Elections; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Legislature has significantly increased the frequency of filing campaign finance reports required under Section 106.07, Florida Statute, effective November 1, 2013, by now requiring monthly reports to be filed from the time the campaign treasurer is appointed with additional reports due on the 25th, 11th, and 4th day prior to the election; and

WHEREAS, the City of Deltona finds and determines that uniform electronic filing of campaign finance reports by all municipal candidates and political committees will facilitate expanded public access to campaign finance information and conserve City of Deltona resources leading to greater efficiency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELTONA, FLORIDA, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The statements contained in the above whereas clauses are adopted and ratified as the legislative findings and intent of the City Commission for the City of Deltona as if fully set forth herein as the legislative intent and findings of the City Commission.

## **SECTION 2.**

Chapter 30 "Elections", Article II. "Candidates", is hereby amended to read as follows: Sec. 30-37 – Electronic campaign filing.

All candidates for elected office in the City of Deltona and all political committees filing with the Deltona filing officer shall electronically file their campaign treasurer's reports required by state law utilizing the Volusia County Supervisor of Elections Office's electronic filing system. Campaign treasurer's reports electronically filed as required by this section shall be deemed filed with the City Clerk simultaneously upon the Volusia County Supervisor of Elections Office's receipt of the electronic filing.

**SECTION 3.** Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any other provision or application of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.

**SECTION 4.** Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its final adoption by the City Commission.

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## PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELTONA, FLORIDA THIS WAY OF December, 2017.

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ATTEST:

JOYCE RAFTERY, CMC, MMC, City Clerk

Approved as to form and legality for use and reliance of the City of

Deltona, Florida

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